

House Resolution No. 3107

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State couples who have admirably demonstrated the strength and vitality of their love through the longevity of their marital vows; and

Whereas, Duane Broermann took the lovely hand of his beautiful bride, the former Rowena Jones, on June 20, 1954, as the two pledged their troth during a solemn wedding ceremony which took place at Saint John's Lutheran Church in Tarkio, Missouri; and

Whereas, five decades later Duane and Rowena Broermann will celebrate their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on June 19, 2004, at the very same location; and

Whereas, the loving relationship of Duane and Rowena Broermann has been blessed down through the years with the love and affection of their son, Donald Broermann, who followed the splendid example set by his parents when he married an equal partner in life, Mitzi; and

Whereas, Duane and Rowena Broermann also have welcomed into their family the presence of two wonderful grandchildren who are truly the light of their life; and

Whereas, Duane Broermann contributed to the well-being of his family through his forty-seven-year-long endeavors as a farmer, a vocation from which he now is retired; and

Whereas, in addition to her activities as a wife and mother, Rowena Broermann helped support her loved ones through employment as a clerk at Flesher Pharmacy for ten years and at HyVee for six years; and

Whereas, Duane Broermann has attained an exemplary reputation for his activities with Saint John's Choir and for his skills at golf; and

Whereas, Rowena Broermann likewise is an involved member of the Tarkio community through her efforts with the Red Hat Society:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, successful marriage of Duane and Rowena Broermann and to convey to them this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes upon attaining their Golden Wedding Anniversary; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Duane and Rowena Broermann of Tarkio, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3107, adopted May 14, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker